

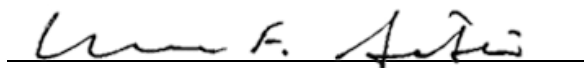
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VS. § CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:13cv509
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Petitioner's criminal conviction occurred in Harris County. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 124, Harris County is in the Houston Division of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas. Moreover, petitioner is currently confined at the Clements Unit, which is in Potter County, Texas. Pursuant to Section 124, Potter County is located in the Amarillo Division of the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas.

As the above paragraph indicates, petitioner is neither incarcerated in, nor did his criminal conviction occur in, the Eastern District of Texas. As a result, this court lacks jurisdiction over the petition.

As petitioner was convicted in the Southern District, and as all records and witnesses involving this action may be located in the Southern District, this petition shall be transferred to the Houston Division of the Southern District. A Transfer Order shall be entered in accordance with this Memorandum Opinion.

SIGNED this 28 day of August, 2013.



KEITH F. GIBLIN
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE